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20 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
21 **FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS**

22 **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

23 Plaintiff,

24 v.

25 **COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN**  
26 **MARIANA ISLANDS et al.,**

27 Defendants.  
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CIVIL CASE No. 99-00017

**REQUEST FOR PLAINTIFF'S  
ATTORNEY TO ATTEND HEARING  
VIA TELECONFERENCE**

Judge: Hon. Ramona V. Manglona  
Date: December 6, 2013  
Time: 8:30 a.m.

1 Plaintiff, United States of America, hereby requests the Court's permission for its  
2 attorney, Jeffrey Murray, of the U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Special  
3 Litigation Section, to appear telephonically for the status conference scheduled for Friday,  
4 December 6, 2013 at 8:30 am.

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6 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED: this 4th day of December, 2013.

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